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Subject HPV Challenge Program 7320-37-8

Hello:

Attached is an HPV program sponsorship letter for 1,2-epoxyhexadecane. A hard copy is being sent in the mail to Administrator Johnson.

Please feel free to contact me if you need any further information.

Thank you,

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Mr. Stephen Johnson, Administrator US EPA PO Box 1473 Merrifield, VA 22116

October 21, 2005

Subject:

High Production Volume (HPV) Chemical Challenge Program – 1,2-Epoxyhexadecane (CAS# 7320-37-8)

Dear Administrator Johnson:

Arkema Inc. agrees to participate in the HPV Challenge Program by sponsoring 1,2-Epoxyhexadecane (CAS# 7320-37-8)

As cited in your revised HPV policy dated June 2005, we anticipate completing our initial assessment of 1,2-Epoxyhexadecane and subsequently submitting a test plan and robust summaries of available studies to EPA later this year. Following EPA's review of the test plan, we plan to provide any additional required information and provide a robust summary of each endpoint no later than 24 months after the 2005 HPV orphan chemical TSCA section 8(a) PAIR rule and the 8(d) HaSDR rule. We understand that the information and data we provide to EPA under the HPV Challenge Program will be publicly available.

Our company EPA HPV registration number is . Dr. Sandra Murphy is our HPV technical contact. Please feel free to contact Dr. Sandra Murphy by telephone at 215 419-5881 or by email at sandi.murphy@arkemagroup.com.

Sincerely,

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